



**State Graded Feeder Pig Sale**  
at Westminster  
Livestock Auction  
Feb. 2, 1990

792 PIGS. 2 WEEKS AGO 983. BIDDING ACTIVE FROM A LARGER CROWD. PRICES 8.00-20.00 HIGHER! ALL PIGS WEIGHED AND GRADED ON ARRIVAL AND SOLD BY THE HUNDREDWEIGHT.

GRADES 1 AND 2: 4 HD. 25 LBS. 108.00; 41 HD. 35-41 LBS. 114.00-125.00; 55 HD. 44-46 LBS. 119.00-121.00; 240 HD. 49-59 LBS. 90.00-106.00; 274 HD. 62-69 LBS. 85.00-94.00; 37 HD. 72-73 LBS. 88.00; 33 HD. 82 LBS. 85.00.

GRADE 2: 2 HD. 15 LBS. 137.00-145.00; 4 HD. 34 LBS. 80.00; 44 HD. 43-44 LBS. 113.00-117.00; 29 HD. 47-53 LBS. 99.00.

GRADES 2 AND 3: 5 HD. 23 LBS. 60.00.

NEXT SALE FEB. 16, 1:30 P.M.

**Peoria Hogs**

Peoria, Illinois  
Thursday, February 8, 1990  
FEDERAL-STATE MIDSESSION AND CLOSE HOGS: 2000 TRADING ACTIVE. BARROWS AND GILTS 1.25 TO 1.50 HIGHER COMPARED WITH WEDNESDAY.

US 1-3 220-250 LBS. 49.00-49.25, 90 HEAD 49.50 2-3 240-260 LBS. 48.50-49.00 260-280 LBS. 47.00-48.50.

SOWS: UNDER 500 LBS. STEADY TO .50 HIGHER OVER 500 LBS. FULLY 1.00 LOWER 14%.

US 1-3 325-500 LBS. 42.00 500-650 LBS. MOSTLY 44.50, FEW 45.00.

BOARS: OVER 350 LBS. 41.00 UNDER 350 LBS. 40.00-40.50.

HOG 214 HC 49.00-49.50 HD 49.00-49.50 HE 49.00-49.50 HI 49.00-49.25 HJ 49.00-49.25 HK 49.00-49.25 HQ 48.50-49.00 HR 47.50-48.50 VV 42.00-42.00 WW 42.00-42.00 XX 44.50-45.00 YY 44.50-45.00 ZZ 41.00-41.00.

**Lancaster Hogs**

Lancaster Stockyards  
Sat., Feb. 3, 1990  
Report supplied by auction

850 HEAD.  
US 1 215-245 LBS. 48.50-49.50  
US 1-2 215-245 LBS. 47.50-48.50  
US 1-3 215-245 LBS. 46.50-47.50  
US 2-4 215-255 LBS. 45.50-46.50  
SOWS: ALL WEIGHTS 40.00-43.75  
HEAVY BOARS: 34.00-37.00  
LIGHT BOARS: 39.00-41.00

**Peoria Hogs**

Thursday, Feb. 8, 1990  
HOGS: 2000 - BARROWS & GILTS ACTIVE, 1.20-1.50 HIGHER.

US 1-3 220-250 LB. 49.00-49.25, 90 HEAD 49.50.

US 2-3 240-260 LB. 48.50-49.00.  
SOWS: UNDER 500 LB. STEADY-.50 HIGHER; OVER 500 LB. FULLY 1.00 LOWER. (14%).

US 1-3 325-500 LB. 42.00; 500-650 LB. 44.50, FEW 45.00.

BOARS: OVER 350 LB. 41.00; UNDER 350 LB. 40.00-40.50.

**Indianapolis Hogs**

Thursday, Feb. 8, 1990  
HOGS: 600 - BARROWS & GILTS MODERATELY ACTIVE, .75-1.00 HIGHER.

US 1-3 230-260 LB. 48.50-48.75, MANY 48.50.

SOWS: MODERATELY ACTIVE, NOT WELL TESTED (2%).  
US 1-3 FEW 375-550 LB. 38.00-42.00.  
BOARS: OVER 350 LB. 36.00.

**New Holland Hogs**  
Feb. 5, 1990

TODAY 1315  
LAST MONDAY 1206  
LAST YEAR 959

TREND: Compared to last Monday barrows and gilts 1.00-2.00 lower.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-245 lb 47.00-48.00, FEW 48.00-48.50.  
US 1 210-240 lb 49.00-51.00.  
US 1-3 210-260 lb 45.25-46.75.  
US 2-3 275-305 lb 42.50-44.25.

**Pa. Grain**

February 5, 1990  
Report supplied by PDA  
COMPARED WITH LAST MONDAY'S MARKET FOR SOUTHEASTERN, CENTRAL AND SOUTH CENTRAL PA: CORN STEADY TO .05 LOWER; WHEAT STEADY TO .15 LOWER; BARLEY AND OATS MOSTLY STEADY; SOYBEANS UNEVENLY STEADY; EAR CORN STEADY TO WEAK.

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.65-2.85, AVERAGE 2.74, FEW REPORTED CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 2.51-2.68; @WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.85-4.06, AVERAGE 3.96, FEW REPORTED CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 3.30-3.39; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.00-2.40, FEW REPORTED 1.85, AVERAGE 2.16, FEW REPORTED CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 1.80-2.05; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.60-1.80, AVERAGE 1.73, FEW REPORTED CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 1.50; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 5.38-5.65, AVERAGE 5.51, FEW REPORTED CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 5.35-5.75; FEW REPORTED GR. SORGHUM #2 RANGE 2.60, AVERAGE 2.60; AVERAGE NEW EAR CORN RANGE 66.00-85.00, AVERAGE 75.92.

SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.70-2.98, AVERAGE 2.74; @WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.50-3.90, AVERAGE 3.72; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.80-2.40, AVERAGE 2.13; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.40-1.60, AVERAGE 1.61; FEW REPORTED SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 5.40, AVERAGE 5.40; AVERAGE NEW EAR CORN RANGE 60.00-85.00, AVERAGE 71.33.

SOUTHEASTERN, CENTRAL & SOUTH CENTRAL SUMMARY  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.65-2.85, AVERAGE 2.75; @ WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.75-4.06, AVERAGE 3.88; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.00-2.40, AVERAGE 2.16; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.55-1.90, AVERAGE 1.72; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 5.30-5.65, AVERAGE 5.49; AVERAGE NEW EAR CORN RANGE 65.00-85.00, AVERAGE 73.68.

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.60-2.90, AVERAGE 2.77; @WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.75-4.05, AVERAGE 3.88; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.00-2.35, AVERAGE 2.19; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.65-1.90, AVERAGE 1.78; SOYBEANS

NO. 1 RANGE 5.30-5.60, AVERAGE 5.47; FEW REPORTED GR. SORGHUM #2 RANGE 2.35, AVERAGE 2.35; FEW REPORTED PER HUNDREDWEIGHT BUCKWHEAT RANGE 9.15, AVERAGE 9.15; AVERAGE NEW EAR CORN RANGE 65.00-80.00, AVERAGE 72.83.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.48-2.93, AVERAGE 2.78; @WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.60-3.90, AVERAGE 3.80; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.05-2.15, AVERAGE 2.10; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.05-2.00, AVERAGE 1.70; FEW REPORTED SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 5.30, AVERAGE 5.30; AVERAGE NEW EAR CORN RANGE 72.00-82.50, AVERAGE 78.17.

MONTH AGO  
CORN NO. 2-Y 2.78; @WHEAT NO. #2 4.03; BARLEY NO. 3 2.16; OATS NO. 2 1.72; SOYBEANS NO. 1 5.60; AVERAGE EAR CORN 71.66.

YEAR AGO  
CORN NO. 2-Y 3.08; @WHEAT NO. #2 3.97; BARLEY NO. 3 2.52; OATS NO. 2 2.42; SOYBEANS NO. 1 7.37; AVERAGE NEW EAR CORN 92.97.

**Regional Hay**

February 5, 1990  
Eastern, Pa.  
HAY & STRAW MARKET FOR EASTERN PA. - (ALL HAY NO. 2 AND BETTER, PRICES PAID BY DEALERS AT THE FARM & PER TON). HAY & STRAW, MOSTLY STEADY TO STRONG.  
ALFALFA 95.00-125.00; MIXED HAY 75.00-110.00; TIMOTHY HAY 75.00-110.00; STRAW 50.00-90.00, FEW 100.00; MULCH 25.00-40.00.

LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS  
SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 2/2/90. PRICES PER TON: LOADS: 289 HAY, 90 STRAW, AND 18 EAR CORN.  
ALFALFA 97.00-200.00; MIXED HAY 75.00-160.00; TIMOTHY HAY 79.00-140.00; STRAW 75.00-115.00; EAR CORN 76.00-93.00.

CENTRAL PA. HAY AUCTIONS  
SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA. HAY AUCTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 2/2/90. PRICES PER TON: LOADS: 248 HAY, 65 STRAW & 5 EAR CORN.  
ALFALFA 88.00-190.00; MIXED HAY 59.00-142.50; TIMOTHY HAY 58.00-104.00; STRAW 47.00-80.00; EAR CORN 81.00-95.00.

**Greencastle Hay Market**

Hay & Straw  
Feb. 1 & 5, 1990  
92 LOADS.  
ALFALFA (GOOD) 135.00-178.00/TON; ALFALFA (FAIR) 90.00-130.00/TON; ALFALFA MIXED 85.00-127.50/TON; TIMOTHY HAY 80.00-116.00/TON; MIXED HAY 60.00-89.00/TON; ORCHARD GRASS 55.00-76.00/TON; BROOM GRASS 80.00-90.00/TON; STRAW- WHEAT 45.00-69.00/TON; STRAW- BARLEY 60.00-72.50/TON.

**Green Dragon Hay**

Ephrata, Pa.  
Friday, Feb. 2, 1990  
Report Supplied by Auction  
TOTAL LOADS: 124.  
MIXED HAY: 57.00-185.00.  
ALFALFA: 50.00-194.00.  
TIMOTHY: 62.00-137.00.  
CLOVER: 72.00.  
GRASS HAY: 61.00-150.00.  
CORN STALKS: 57.00.  
STRAW: 65.00-99.00.  
EAR CORN: 80.00-88.00.

**Vintage Hay**

Paradise, PA  
Thurs., Feb. 8, 1990  
Report Supplied by Auction  
TOTAL LOADS: 29.  
ALFALFA, 1ST CUTTING: 89.00-131.00.  
MIXED HAY: 68.00-98.00.  
TIMOTHY: 97.50-105.00.  
ORCHARD GRASS: 90.00-121.00.  
OAT STRAW: 102.00.  
TIMOTHY SEED: 28.00 BAG.  
WOOD: 35.00 PICK-UP LOAD.

**King's Hay**

Kirkwood, Pa.  
Tuesday, February 6, 1990  
Report Supplied by Auction  
TOTAL LOADS: 99.  
ALFALFA: 52.00-187.00.  
ALFALFA MIX: 63-192.00.  
MIXED HAY: 86.00-175.00.  
MULCH: 36.00.  
CLOVER: 46.00-110.00.  
TIMOTHY AND TIMOTHY MIX: 79.00-110.00.  
GRASS AND ORCHARD GRASS MIX: 50.00-114.00.  
STRAW: 60.00-121.00.  
OATS: 2.05 BU.  
EAR CORN: 79.00-81.00.  
FIREWOOD: 40.00-45.00 LOAD.

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7:00 P.M.- Small

Animal Sale.

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